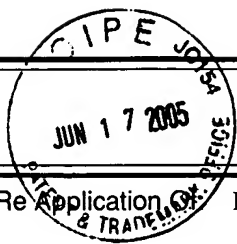


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POU920010173US1

In Re Application of Robert Dugan et al.

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/043,489	01/11/2002	David E. Martinez	33558	2182	6712

Title: **Method and Apparatus for a Non-Disruptive Recovery of a Single Partition in a Multipartitioned Data Processing System**

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ELECTION OF INVENTION

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In response to the Office Action dated 05/17/2005 Applicants hereby elect Species 1, claims 1 - 3, 9 - 11, 12 - 14, and 20 - 22. The Examiner is urged to call the undersigned at the number listed below if, in the Examiner's opinion, such a phone conference would expedite or aid in the prosecution of this application.

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